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To: Property Owners / Management Agents

**From:** Minnesota Housing (MHFA)

Multi Family Division

Section 8 Contract Administration PBCA and TCA

**Subject:** Implementation of HUD's 2008 Income Limits

New 2008 Income Limits have now been released by the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) and can be found at <a href="http://www.huduser.org/">http://www.huduser.org/</a>. Go to Popular Links, then Income Limits.

Please take immediate steps to implement these new income limits in your TRACS software, which affect both Section 8 and Section 236 properties. The effective date for these income limits is February 13, 2008.

The 2008 Section 8 income limits will also be posted to Minnesota Housing Website under Management Agents/Income and Rent Limits. Please choose the SECTION 8 Income limits.

Effective April 1, 2008, TRACS will consider incorrect income limits a "<u>Fatal</u> <u>Error</u>". All Fatal Errors that are not corrected will NOT be imported into the system for HAP Voucher payment and could delay your HAP Payment.

## **Ouestions:**

- 1. For questions regarding the change of income limits, contact your MHFA voucher contact person.
- 2. For questions on how to implement the Income Limits in your software, contact your software vendor.

Thank you.